

The question of a subscription by the town of Wil-

We wish it distinctly understood that as a general rule we look upon municipal expenditures for purposes outside of the municipality, as of very doubtful propriety. It is carrying things beyond their original intention, which is the right government of the municipality, and it is bringing other than local issues into what ought to be purely a local administration.

A Week later from California—Arrival of the Prometheus at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, April 13.—The steamer Prometheus arrived here to-day, with San Francisco dates to the 24th ult. Business was very dull, with sales at reduced prices.

The recent rains had made some improvement at the mouth and the growing crops promise well.

Messrs. Wells, Fargo & Co. had resumed business, and Messrs. Page, Bacon & Co. would resume on the 29th.

The failures of Mr. Wright and Messrs. Adams & Co., are bad ones. The personal effects of I. C. Woods have been offered for sale.

Ex-Banker Robinson has been arrested for fraud. No arrests were reported.

Capt. Cropper, of the steamship Cortez, died at St. Francisco, March 23.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The steamship Wash

A formidable Russian force has assembled at Eupatoria, virtually besieging the place; but the Russians could not hold Eupatoria if captured, as it is completely under the guns of the English fleet.

latter being three seconds quicker than the time in which Lexington performed the first three miles of his great match on the 2d inst. *Leconte* will probably recover, but will not run against Lexington on the 14th inst.

Tom Thumb's Father has gone crazy.

precisely what is wanted, at the present juncture, to save the American party from a total wreck in the State before it gets into power.

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April 12.—Burgue Catherine Watts from N.

All persons are hereby forewarned against paying or trans-
 acting for said note. W. W. PARKER
 April 6, 1855. 81-37.

 TALLOW WANTED.—The highest market prices will
 be paid for Tallow, by WESSEL & EILERS
 Sept. 1st, 82-12